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In re Application of: **APPLETON ET AL**

Serial No.: **10/763,784**

Filed: **01/23/2004**

For: **DAUGHTERCARD-BASED SYSTEM SOFTWARE AND HARDWARE
FUNCTIONALITY-DEFINING MECHANISM**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Applicant qualifies as a small entity under 37 CFR § 1.27.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 is enclosed.

☐ No additional fee is required.

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In reply to the Office Action dated March 1, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

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